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Sir:

With reference to the filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office
of an application for patent in the name(s) of:

Akira YABE

entitled:

METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR OPTIMIZING SYSTEM AND
RECORDING MEDIUM WITH PROGRAM FOR OPTIMIZING OPTICAL SYSTEM

The following are enclosed:

- ☐ This is an application of a small entity under 37 CFR 1.9(f) and the amounts shown in parentheses below have been employed in calculating the fee:
 - ☐ Small Entity Verified Statement(s) is (are) enclosed.
 - ☐ Small Entity Verified Statement(s) filed in prior application, status still proper and desired

- ☒ Specification (49 pages)
- ☒ 24 Sheet(s) of Drawings
- ☒ 18 Claim(s) (including 3 independent claim(s))
- ☐ This application contains a multiple dependent claim

- ☒ Our check for \$710.00, calculated on the basis of the claims as amended by any enclosed preliminary amendment as follows:

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- ☒ Certified copy of each of the following application(s) to substantiate the claim(s) for priority made in the Declaration will be filed in due course.

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